IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences In re Patent Application of

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MULTILAYERED GAS SENSING ELEMENT EMPLOYABLE IN AN EXHAUST SYSTEM OF AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE AND MANUFACTURING

METHOD THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Title:

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:	r: ☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.			
\boxtimes	NOTICE OF APPEAL Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting \$500.00 (1401)/\$250.00 (2401) applicant's claim(s).		\$	500.00
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	A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 41.41			(no fee)
	Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.			
	Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254)) "Small entity" statement attached.		\$	450.00
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Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached2/02/2007 MAHNED1 00000149 09873287

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